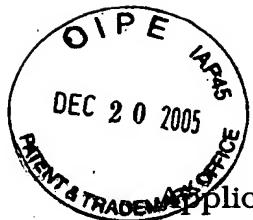


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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action (hereinafter "Action") dated September 20, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.